

Ruby master - Bug #13553

Improve performance in where push the element into non shared Array object

05/10/2017 02:38 AM - watson1978 (Shizuo Fujita)

Status: Closed	
Priority: Normal	
Assignee:	
Target version:	
ruby -v:	Backport: 2.2: UNKNOWN, 2.3: UNKNOWN, 2.4: UNKNOWN

Description

rb_ary_modify() has the codes for shared Array object.
In here, it has condition branch for shared / non shared Array object and it can use rb_ary_modify_check() which is smaller function than rb_ary_modify() for non shared object.

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Patch

<https://github.com/ruby/ruby/pull/1609>

Associated revisions

Revision 044257c0 - 05/24/2017 06:57 AM - watson1978 (Shizuo Fujita)

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#1 - 05/24/2017 06:57 AM - watson1978 (Shizuo Fujita)

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Applied in changeset [trunk|r58867](#).

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